



2012-2013 AFTER SCHOOL CLUB PROGRAM TORRANCE RESIDENT APPLICATION

The After School Club is for children in grades first through eighth. The program is held on school campuses Monday through Friday, after school until 6:00 p.m. Late fees will be charged beginning at 6:01 p.m.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM: The program goals and objectives are to provide students with a safe and nurturing environment where they can build their self-esteem by strengthening their communication, team building and socialization skills. The After School Clubs provide homework time, self-esteem building games, community service projects, field trips, communication building activities, arts and crafts, sports and snacks.

PROGRAM LOCATIONS: Participants must attend the same school of the program location.

Elementary Schools

Arnold Elementary School
Carr Elementary School
Edison Elementary School
Fern/Greenwood Elementary School
Torrance Elementary School
Victor Elementary School
Walteria Elementary School
Yukon Elementary School

Middle Schools

Bert Lynn Middle School
Casimir Middle School
Hull Middle School
Madrona Middle School
Magruder Middle School
Richardson Middle School

PROGRAM COST AND PAYMENT POLICIES:

First Payment: \$455 due with application

Covers Sept. 6 – Nov. 30, 2012

Second Payment: \$455 due Nov. 13, 2012

Covers Dec. 3, 2012 – March 15, 2013

Third Payment: \$455 due March 5, 2013

Covers March 18 – June 20, 2013

THERE WILL BE NO REMINDER NOTICES OR EXTENSIONS FOR PAYMENTS.

MAIL-IN/FAX-IN REGISTRATION: July 17, 2012 through July 30, 2012

WALK-IN REGISTRATION: Begins August 21, 2012

Mail in and fax in registrations will be returned if postmarked or received prior to July 17 or after July 30, 2012.

SCHOLARSHIPS: A limited number of scholarships are available. Scholarship applicants must have their scholarship approved at least one week prior to turning in a registration form. Scholarship applications are available at the Community Services Department Registration Office. Applicants must provide proof of residency and a copy of their current proof of income. You will be notified by mail. Scholarships are awarded once per year.

METHOD OF PAYMENT: Payments can be made by check, cash, money order or credit card (Visa MasterCard, American Express or Discover). Please do not mail cash. Checks and money orders should be made payable to the "City of Torrance."

PAYMENT SOURCE: If payment is from two separate parties, they must both accompany the application. Applications with partial payment will not be accepted.

CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS/INSUFFICIENT FUNDS:

- Cancellations must be received in writing. Refunds will be prorated. ALL refunds will be calculated on a weekly basis. Requests received in the middle of the week, will be prorated from the following Monday. A service fee of 20% or maximum of \$25.00 will be deducted from all refunds.
- If your payment does not clear because of insufficient funds, you will lose your space in the program. In addition to the \$25.00 returned check fee, a 20% or maximum of \$25.00 service fee will be charged if you are dropped from the program.

REGISTRATION GUIDELINES: Applications are accepted on a first come, first served basis according to date sent (not by time). Registration is handled at the Community Services Department Registration Office.

ALL applications must be accompanied by:

1. Current Proof of Residency (see below for additional information)
2. Proof of School Registration (see below for additional information)
3. Payment (faxed applications MUST include credit card information with signature). Applications received without this information cannot be processed, even if you have previously been in the program.

Once applications are processed, receipts will be mailed after July 30, 2012. A self-addressed, stamped envelope is required. This is not required for faxed applications. If you do not receive your receipt by August 8, 2012, please call the Registration Office at (310) 618-2720.

RESIDENT INFORMATION

CURRENT PROOF OF RESIDENCY: Proof of residency will be required at the time of registration. Acceptable forms of proof are: Car registration, car insurance, California driver's license, or a recent utility bill (phone bills will not be accepted). Your address must be current and reflect the home school your child attends. (Please send photocopy as originals will not be returned.)

NOTE: Individuals with the zip codes 90502 and 90501 and live east of Western, are not considered Torrance residents.

PROOF OF SCHOOL REGISTRATION: Your child must already be registered in the school prior to registering for the program. Proof of school registration will be required at the time of registration. Acceptable forms of proof include: most recent report card, report card envelope, school ID or school acceptance letter. New 6th grade students must provide a copy of their 5th grade year end report card. Participants that have been granted Intradistrict permits will be required to provide a copy each year with their application. (Please send photocopy, as originals will not be returned.)

NOTE: Most schools are closed during the summer. Obtain your proof of registration prior to the end of the school year. Your child's end of year report card or the report card envelope is an excellent form of proof.

WAITING LIST PROCEDURE: Once the program has reached capacity, applicants are placed on a waiting list.

If the program is filled during mail-in registration:

- Applicants will receive notice by mail that they have been placed on a waiting list and what number they are on the list. Checks will be returned to you by mail. If a space opens up, the applicants will then be notified by phone in the order that they are on the waiting list. Spaces will only become available if an applicant currently enrolled in the program cancels.
- Once you are called from the waiting list, you will be given three (3) working days to register. If you do not register within three (3) working days, you will be removed from the waiting list and the next participant on the waiting list will be called. Registration fees are due at the time you register. Please be sure to notify the Registration Office if your phone number or address changes.

If the program is filled during walk-in registration:

- You will be notified at the time you attempt to register if the program is full. You can sign-up for a waiting list at that time. The same procedure as above will apply for getting into the program.

EMERGENCY FORMS: In order to complete the registration process, you must submit an Emergency Form no later than 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 4, 2012. Your child will not be allowed to attend the After School Club Program unless this form is received. The Emergency Form will be mailed to you along with your receipt. If your child requires medication during the program or has a severe allergy, you are required to complete the additional forms and turn them in prior to the start of the program. Please call (310) 618-2983 for additional information or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/AfterSchool.

Emergency Forms can be turned in the following ways:

Fax-in: (310) 781-7598
Walk-in: Monday through Thursday, and alternating Fridays 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Mail-in: City of Torrance Community Services Department
Attn: After School Programs
3031 Torrance Boulevard
Torrance, CA 90503

PARENT/GUARDIAN MEETINGS: A mandatory parent/guardian meeting will be held on Thursday, September 6, 2012. All meetings will be held in the cafeteria at your child's school, except: Bert Lynn will be held in room 27, Casimir will be held in Room 2, Fern/Greenwood will be held at Greenwood Park and Richardson will be held in room 1.

The first meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m. For parents/guardians with children in both the elementary and middle schools, a second meeting will be held at the middle school at 6:30 p.m.

Please include the following when sending in your application:

- ☐ Completed application
- ☐ Proof of residency
- ☐ Proof of school registration
- ☐ Payment (If using a credit card, please include expiration date. If paying by check, please make checks out to "City of Torrance.")
- ☐ Self-addressed stamped envelope (not required for faxes)



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DATE: _____

NAME OF SCHOOL: _____		GRADE: _____ (As of September 2012)	
PARTICIPANT'S NAME: _____			
BIRTH DATE: _____		Last First	
BIRTH DATE: _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME: _____			
HOME PHONE: _____		WORK PHONE: _____	
Last First			
ADDRESS: _____		CITY: _____ ZIP: _____	
EMAIL ADDRESS: _____			

PAYEE'S NAME: _____		Last First	
HOME PHONE: _____		WORK PHONE: _____	
ADDRESS: _____		CITY: _____ ZIP: _____	
(If different from above)			

METHOD OF PAYMENT:	
<input type="checkbox"/> CHECK	DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> CREDIT CARD <input type="checkbox"/> VISA <input type="checkbox"/> MASTERCARD <input type="checkbox"/> American Express <input type="checkbox"/> Discover	
CREDIT CARD #: _____	
Expiration date: ____ / ____ I authorize the use of my credit card in the amount of: \$ _____	
Print name as it appears on card: _____	
Cardholder signature: _____ Date: _____	

I have read the After School Program application. I understand that the policies listed in this application will be strictly enforced.

Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____
(Applications will not be processed without a signature or if information is missing as stated above.)

For Office Use Only: Receipt Number: _____ Transaction Date: _____ Start Date: _____